

**NOTICE OF SOLICITATION OF CANDIDATES/
FILING DEADLINE FOR THE CITY OF DOVER
FIRST (1ST) DISTRICT CITY COUNCIL SEAT**

The following dates have been set to hold a Special Municipal Election to fill the unexpired term of the First (1st) District City Council seat:

TERM OF OFFICE: May 24, 2017 - May 13, 2019
FILING DEADLINE: Friday, April 21, 2017 at 4:30 p.m.
ELECTION: Tuesday, May 16, 2017 from 7:00 a.m to 8:00 p.m. at
The Elk's Lodge #1903 - 200 Saulsbury Road - Dover, DE 19904

RESIDENTS WHO WISH TO RUN IN THE MAY 16, 2017 SPECIAL ELECTION MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING QUALIFICATIONS:

- (1) A citizen of the United States and of the State of Delaware; and
- (2) A resident of the city and having continuously resided therein or in an area annexed to the city during the two (2) years immediately preceding the day of the election; and
- (3) A resident of the First (1st) City Council election district; and
- (4) Eighteen (18) years of age or older; and
- (5) Nominated by petition signed by not less than ten (10), nor more than 25 City of Dover registered voters. Petition signers must be residents of the First (1st) City Council election district; and
- (6) Must not have been convicted of embezzlement of public money, bribery, perjury or any other infamous crime.

Filing petitions are available at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 15 Loockerman Plaza or can be obtained from the City's website at www.cityofdover.com.

Completed petitions for the First (1st) District City Council seat must be filed with the City Clerk by **Friday, April 21, 2017 at 4:30 p.m.**

The Special Municipal Election will be held on Tuesday, May 16, 2017 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. In order to be eligible to vote in this election, **you must be registered to vote by Friday, May 5, 2017.** The polling place for this election is The Elks Lodge #1903 - 200 Saulsbury Road - Dover, DE 19904.

Additional information regarding filing for office, the special election, or voting by absentee ballot can be obtained from the City Clerk's Office: ph: 736-7008, e-mail: cityclerk@dover.de.us, or by visiting our website: www.cityofdover.com and clicking the Elections button.

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